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Applicant(s): Yoshihiro UE
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APPARATUS
Art Unit : 2872
Examiner : Lee A. Fineman

**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE-EXAMINING GROUP 2872**

Commissioner for Patents
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November 3, 2004.

Amendments to the Specification are set forth on page 2 of
this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are set forth in the listing of
claims which begins on page 3 of this paper. Claims 1 and 2 are
canceled; claims 3 and 5 are amended; and claims 4 and 6 are
maintained.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.

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